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TO AMEMBASSY SAN JOSE PRIORITY

INFO AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA

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PASS TO IRVING TRAGEN/ROCAP

E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: EINV

SUBJECT: OPIC TDY

1. IN CONNECTION WITH A PROPOSED FINANCING PROMOTION PROGRAM IN THE CENTRAL AMERICAN REGION, HARRY FREEMAN, NEW OPIC VICE PRESIDENT FOR FINANCE, AND PATRICIA COUNTS, INVESTMENT OFFICER FOR LATIN AMERICA ARE ANXIOUS TO MAKE THE ACQUAINTANCE OF MAJOR FIGURES IN CENTRAL AMERICAN BANKING CIRCLES, AS WELL AS KEY EMBASSY AND AID CAPITAL DEVELOPMENT PEOPLE. ROCAP DIRECTOR IRVING TRAGEN HAS ARRANGED A PROGRAM FOR THEM IN GUATEMALA AUGUST 15-20.

2. THEREAFTER COUNTS AND FREEMAN WOULD LIKE TO VISIT SAN JOSE AND WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING APPOINTMENTS APPROPRIATE TO THEIR PURPOSE ON AUGUST 23. COUNTS WILL REMAIN FOR A FULL DAY ON AUGUST 26 TO MEET WITH COSTA RICANS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PROPOSED RAMADA HOTEL

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PROJECT. ANTICIPATED ARRIVAL AUGUST 22 AT 12:10 PM.

REQUEST EMBASSY CONCURRENCE AND HOTEL RESERVATIONS AT THE GRAND HOTEL FOR FREEMAN NIGHT OF AUGUST 21, AND FOR COUNTS AUGUST 21 THROUGH 25.

3. COUNTS MAY ALSO INVESTIGATE AND MEET WITH PARTICIPANTS IN TAYLOR ASSOCIATES VEGETABLE FREEZER PLANT PROJECT. APPOINTMENTS IN THIS REGARD WILL BE HANDLED FROM GUATEMALA THROUGH TOM MOONEY AT LAAD. OPIC IS CONTINUING DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE FINANCING OF THIS PROJECT WHICH WAS ORIGINALLY INITIATED DURING OPIC PRESIDENT MAYS' RECENT VISIT.  
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